## Unlocking the Potential of the New Code of Good Practice on Dismissal





The newly proposed Code of Good Practice on Dismissal offers a transformative opportunity for employment relations in the workplace. It represents one of the most significant shifts in how organisations approach misconduct, incapacity, and operational requirements. Beyond its aim to decriminalise and simplify disciplinary enquiries, the code introduces two new dimensions to incapacity and provides clearer guidance on operational restructuring. This programme will help you understand and apply these changes to foster more sustainable, human-centric labour relations.

## **Key Highlights of the Code:**

• Modernisation of Disciplinary Codes

Organisations can revise outdated disciplinary frameworks to align with contemporary workplace realities.

• Simplification of Disciplinary Processes

Streamlined procedures reduce complexity and promote fairness and efficiency.

Shorter Notice Periods Before Enquiries

Enables cost savings by reducing the duration of paid suspensions.

- Expanded Definition of Incapacity:
  - Incompatibility Addresses value system clashes within organisational cultures.

*Incarceration* – Provides protocols for managing employees who are arrested or imprisoned and unable to report for duty.

• Holistic Approach to Poor Performance

Encourages more comprehensive and empathetic performance management strategies.

• Codification of Operational Requirements

Offers structured templates and clearer protocols for Section 189 processes.

We look forward to welcoming you to this programme and believe it will empower your organisation to build stronger, more resilient labour relations.

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20 October 2025 09h30 - 11h00

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**VENUE:** Virtual via Zoom **PRICE:** R950.00 excl. VAT

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